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## UB Receives Salk Vaccine From State

Polio myelitis vaccine for students 19 years of age and under has been received from the state health department, University officials announced today. Injections will be administered in the Arnold Room of the Gym on March 22.

State regulations require parental permission for the vaccine for all students under 21. Students wishing immunization are advised to pick up permission slips at the Health Service Office. Final plans for the polio shots will be announced shortly.

Plans to extend the polio immunization to students over 19, faculty and staff members are now being considered by the health department.

The University immunization program is in conjunction with the nationwide program to provide the Salk vaccine to as many college students as possible.

President Eisenhower, when informed that about 17 million doses of vaccine were lying unused on producers' shelves, urged prompt use of the supply to "prevent paralysis or even death."

Marion Folsom, secretary of Health, Education and Welfare, used that language in reporting to the President that abundant stocks of the once scarce serum are being passed up by the public.

In advising Eisenhower that vaccine supplies now are plentiful and that the means are largely at hand to prevent the dread disease, Folsom added, that a new problem has arisen.

"The danger," the cabinet officer said, "is simply that because of public apathy, vaccine which would prevent paralysis or even death—next year—may lie unused."

"The Public Health Service reports that about 17 million doses of vaccine are now lying unused in the hands of manufacturers. Additional vaccine is stockpiled in drug stores and physicians' offices."

After hearing this Eisenhower said:

"I join with Secretary Folsom, the surgeon general of the Public Health Service, and the National Foundation for Infantile Paralysis in urging that the vaccine be used promptly—before the next polio myelitis season arrives."

The University vaccinations are in line with a growing movement for campus vaccinations in colleges and universities throughout the nation. Increasing numbers of academic institutions are providing Salk vaccine for their students and young faculty members as part of an over-all program aimed at increasing immunization to the nation's most susceptible individuals according to Basil O'Connor, president of the March of Dimes organization.

Seventy-five of 136 reported student vaccinations have been scheduled.

## SC Gets Invitation To Littlefield Supper

An invitation to a buffet supper has been extended to all the members of the Student Council by Dr. and Mrs. Henry W. Littlefield.

Robert D'Andrea, president of the Student Council, urged good attendance in the interest of securing closer cooperation between the administration and the students.

The buffet supper will be held at Dr. Littlefield's home, 178 Glenarden Drive, Fairfield, on Sunday evening, Feb. 17 at 6 o'clock.



During registration week two lovelies, Bette Weber, "Greek Goddess," 1956 and Anne Fothorap, "Sweetheart Queen," 1956, sign up Allan Friedman, a blood donor. The Bloodbank will be here at the University in the Drama Center from 10 a. m. to 3 p. m. for students wishing to give blood.

## Fones Caps 39 Sunday

Capping ceremonies for students enrolled in the Fones School of Dental Hygiene will take place Sunday at 3 p. m. in the Gym. Thirty-nine members of the freshman class will be honored at that time. Refreshments will be served in the Arnold Room of the Gym following the ceremonies. The Fones Hall clinic will also be open for inspection.

The following freshmen will be capped at the ceremony:

Lorraine Bekolwicz, Priscilla Benedetti, Eleanor Berkman, Sandra Brown, Julia Chernick, Lauren Collins, Lorraine Cretella,

Patricia Desmarais, Elaine DiBeneditto, Marilyn Ehlers, Marilyn Fisher, Judith Geller.

Rose Genzian, Rose Marie Gibson, Barbara Goerts, Edith Hubelbank, Roberta Irwin, Jaclyn Jensen, Joyce Jodoin, Elaine Kohl, Caryl Kozlowski, Marilyn LaPenta, Margaret Leggitt, Mary Catherine McGrath, Marilyn McGuire.

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## Ribicoff Tapped for Jacoby Talk

Gov. Abraham A. Ribicoff will deliver the sixth annual Frank Jacoby Lecture at the University Feb. 19 at 2 p. m. in the University Gym, according to President James H. Halsey. This will be a regular student-captain event.

Governor Ribicoff was a logical selection to deliver the sixth annual Jacoby lecture on brotherhood according to a Jacoby lecture committee spokesman. In

many respects the Governor's life has paralleled that of Frank Jacoby.

Governor Ribicoff was born in New Britain on April 9, 1910, the son of immigrant parents. The son of a factory worker, Ribicoff put his earnings from peddling papers, running errands and working in stores, aside for his education.

After graduating from high school Governor Ribicoff worked in a factory for one year and then went to NYU for one year. He left NYU to become a branch manager for his first employer, in Chicago, where he attended law school at the University of Chicago on a part-time basis although he had no academic degree. He made the Law Review staff, the honor society and graduated cum laude in 1933. He was admitted to the Connecticut Bar in the same year.

In May of last year, Governor Ribicoff along with two other New England governors, Christian A. Herter of Massachusetts, and Edmund S. Muskie of Maine were cited by the Massachusetts Committee of Catholics, Protestants and Jews for "exemplifying a great basic principle—brotherhood." For these three sons, it was stated at that time, brotherhood, "is more than a word. For them it is a way of life."

The lectures were established at the University in 1952 by

the late Frank Jacoby, president of the Frank Jacoby Foundation Inc., to further the brotherhood of men regardless of race, color or creed.

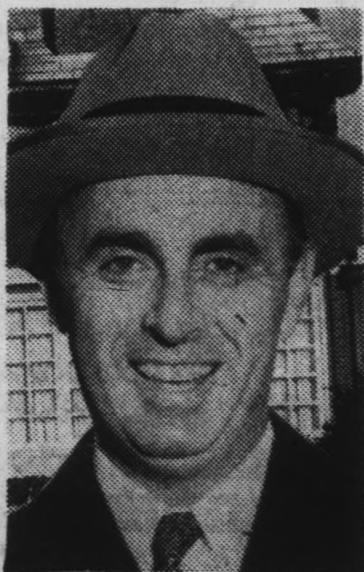
Previous speakers have included: Ralph Bunche, 1953; Mrs. Eleanor Roosevelt, 1953; General Carlos Ramulo, 1954; Harold E. Stassen, 1955; and Paul G. Hoffman, 1956.

Jacoby, who was born in Hungary, came to Bridgeport in 1894. He became one of the city's leading merchants as well as one of its leading philanthropists.

During his lifetime and under the terms of his will, he supported institutions which were dedicated to humanity. Jacoby believed that if all individuals would practice the principles of the three leading religions and the philosophy of American democracy, the world would soon solve most of its problems.

It was toward this end that the Frank Jacoby Foundation endowed the lecture series at the University. Each year an outstanding figure is brought to the campus to deliver a lecture on the "Brotherhood of Man."

Members of the Frank Jacoby Lecture Committee include: Prof. Edward F. Byerly, Prof. W. T. DeSiero, Harry Allison Goldstein, President Halsey, Lewis M. Ice, Dr. Marie L. Jaeger, Mr. and Mrs. Lunin, Victor E. Muniec, Nicholas Panuzio, Prof. W. Earl Sauerwein and Mr. Steiber.



GOV. ABE RIBICOFF

## DH Expands To Combat Tooth Decay

To help meet the ever increasing needs for dental hygienists the University has expanded the facilities of the Fones School of Dental Hygiene, according to Dr. Robert H. W. Strang, director of the Fones School.

A serious shortage of trained dental hygienists exists in all parts of the country according to Dr. Shailer Peterson, executive secretary of the council on dental education, American Dental Assoc.

Among measures Dr. Peterson recommended at a recent convocation for easing this shortage was that training schools graduate the maximum number of students possible each year.

Four dental chairs as well as a second X-ray machine, new offices, dark room facilities and other improvements have been made or added, according to Dr. Robert H. W. Strang, director of Fones College.

Expansion of Fones School facilities permitted a class of 40 students, the largest in Fones history, to begin study during the present school term, Dr. Strang said.

Students now have an opportunity to gain more practical experience on the additional equipment. More privacy for student counseling and interviews and a unified area for the clinic and offices is also now possible.

Attention has been focused on the Fones School in other ways as well according to Dr. Strang, due to the help of the Fones Advisory Committee.

The placement of Fones seniors in dental offices in their own home towns for practical training during the summer months has gained nationwide attention. Many other dental hygiene schools are now following this practice.

The Fones Advisory Committee has also suggested that prospective applicants be interviewed for the Fones School in cities outside of Bridgeport by their members.

Composed of 20 members of the Connecticut State Dental Assoc., the Fones Advisory Committee helped in the creation and financing of the school, assisted in determining and establishing the school's fundamental philosophy and in selecting the initial staff and planning the curriculum.

Valuable assistance continues to be rendered by the committee in evaluating the school's philosophy and planning the curriculum. (continued on page 4)



THURSDAY, FEB. 7 —

8:15 p. m. — College of Nursing Alumni Association — Bishop Faculty Lounge.

FRIDAY, FEB. 8 —

7:30 p. m. — Faculty Women's Club — Bishop Hall.

SATURDAY, FEB. 9 —

8:30 a. m. — Graduate Nurse Qualifying Exam — B-205.

2:00 p. m. — Beta Gamma Rush Party — Healy's Barn.

6:30 p. m. — Freshmen Basketball — Milford Prep — Home.

8:30 p. m. — Varsity Basketball — Wilkes College — Home.

SUNDAY, FEB. 10 —

6:30 p. m. — Faculty Women's Club Buffet Dinner — Marina Hall.

TUESDAY, FEB. 12 —

12:00 a. m. — IFC Meeting — Alumni Hall.



## Letter to Editor

The University of Bridgeport  
Bridgeport, Connecticut

Attention: Jack Hurley, Editor  
The Scribe

Dear Friends:

We wish to thank you most sincerely for your contribution of \$164.15 to our organization. The money will be used to further our efforts to create greater opportunities and more happiness for the retarded in the community.

We, also, wish to commend you for the fine article on Mental Retardation which appeared in the last issue of the Scribe. Such articles help greatly to extend the public knowledge and understanding of retarded children. We are grateful to you for your interest and your generosity.

We hope that the warmth and understanding you have extended to those in need will be returned to you a hundredfold, in happiness and contentment, in the year ahead.

Mrs. Albert J. Fiyalka,  
Corresponding Sec'y.  
Parents and Friends  
of Mentally Retarded  
Children

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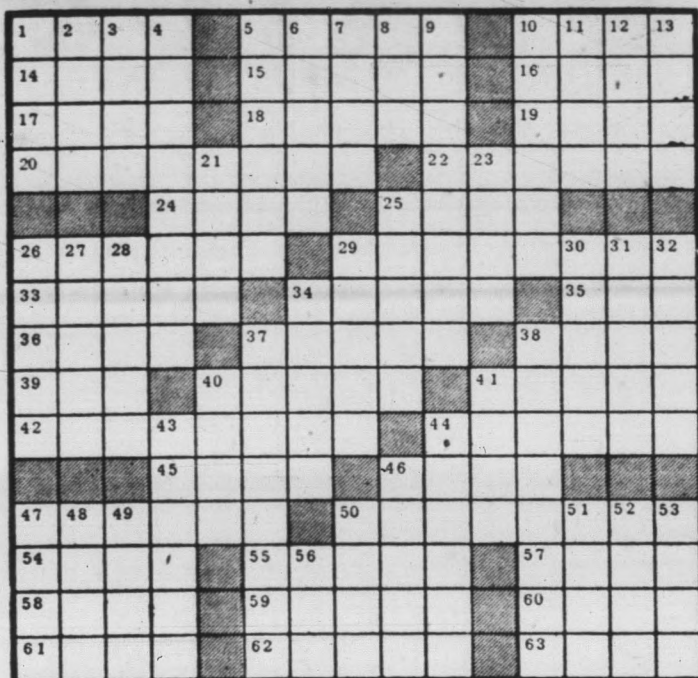
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## Along Park Place

by Vinny Caprio

Now that Grace has finished chasing away the cobwebs on the mouldy old Underwood, we can get to work on the tangible reason why we are here. If it takes an hour to dust one typewriter it isn't hard to understand why a woman's work is never done. Or is it merely that our charming typist is unaccustomed to household chores?

Congratulations are extended to marketing major Bill Klein upon the courage he displayed in leaving this free world of bachelorhood. Lovely Lyn Ellsworth wore down his resistance as evidenced by their trip down the aisle. We send along our wishes for many years of happiness.

Towels may not be the latest in feminine attire, but we highly recommend them if you can look as cheesecakeish as vivacious Jo Anne Alechnowicz did in a recent issue of a local gazette. She has done more to boost the sale of towels since the invention of soap.

Frank "Crow Phantom" Palmer was assisted by no less than two gemologists when he selected a diamond for his "Fair Lady" Doris Ober, who last year beautified the Student Activities Office, is now with Sikorsky Aircraft.

Mr. DeSiero is telling this story about his colleague John "The Hat" Sherry. On Thursdays Sherry returns home from classes and puts the week's trash on the sidewalk—washes and has dinner. As he leaves for his night class he puts the week's accumulation of paper on the can, goes to the corner and hops a bus.

This was all well and good until one night while awaiting the bus his arm began to ache — sure enough he had the papers with him.

The torch is burning stronger than ever for Annie Foothorap and her "Thunder" playmate Stan Luby. This idyll has all the earmarks of a lasting thing. While on the subject of torches—what's this we hear concerning the one Ron Gatti is carrying with both hands???

Have you noticed how pretty Helen Klein's coat has been unbuttoned at the top recently. Could it be that she wishes to display the pin given her by Bill Nicholson of the U. of Miami?

A hearty welcome to this haven of intellectual chaos is extended to all new students (too numerous to name) and to our four new faculty members, A. G. Chapman and H. L. Mazzocchi of the accounting department, John W. Ross an instructor in industrial relations, and Paul deFur, journalism.

After a week of leisurely living in Miami Beach, sunkist Nick Panuzio is seriously contemplating attending the U. of Miami for his masters. His pretty playmate June Bartram has different ideas and our money is riding on June. Women have the greatest knack of changing the best made plans of mice and men. Let's face it—you can't win, so why fight, just join them.

The Associated Collegiate Press says universities are full of knowledge; the freshmen bring a little in and the seniors take none

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## Cuban Group Offers Higher Study

Competition for the Father Felix Varela Fellowship for study in Cuba is open to American graduate students, it was announced by Kenneth Holland, president of the Institute of International Education, 1 East 67th St., New York City.

Offered by the Cuban-American Cultural Institute, the award honors the widely-known Cuban educator who lived more than half his life in the United States as Auxiliary Bishop of Baltimore and New York.

The fellowship is for study at the University of Havana during the 1957-58 academic year.

Closing date for the competition is April 1, 1957. The award covers tuition and most maintenance expenses. The successful applicant must provide his own travel, plus funds for incidentals and other expenses.

Candidates in the fields of philosophy, Spanish and Spanish-American literature, history, education, social sciences and law are preferred.

Applicants must be U. S. citizens. Other eligibility requirements are: a bachelor degree from an American college or

university of recognized standing by the date of departure; demonstrated academic ability and capacity for independent study; good moral character, personality and adaptability; good knowledge of Spanish; and good health.

Applications may be secured from the Institute of International Education in New York City or its regional offices in Chicago, Denver, Houston, San Francisco and Washington, D. C.

## Yearbook Honors Entire Faculty

This year's Wistarian is dedicated to the entire faculty of the University. Terry Johansen editor explained that "the task of choosing an individual faculty member was so difficult that we decided to dedicate it to the entire faculty."

The Wistarian will be ready sometime in May according to Johansen. Students get the yearbook free of charge on presentation of ID cards.

The staff for next year's Wistarian will be picked sometime in March, Johansen also announced.

## J-Workshop April 6

## High School Press to Air News Views

The University's journalism department announced today that plans have been completed for the High School Journalism Workshop to be held April 6 on campus. Building on last year's "very successful Workshop," Prof. Howard Boone Jacobson has announced that invitations will be sent to 173 high school papers throughout the state.

An innovation will be enacted this year when all workshop panels will be composed of high school editors. In this manner, each school newspaper will have a chance to air its problems, procedures and point of view with that of other papers. Each panel will be moderated by a senior student in journalism at the University.

Jacobson announced that the four best papers competing in all-state newspaper contest in each of the workshop areas—News and Editorial, Editing and Makeup, Sports, Advertising and Production—will be invited to seat a staff member on the panel discussing that topic. Student panel members to participate will be announced about the middle of March.

The Workshop is being co-sponsored by the Scribe and Pi Delta Epsilon, national journalism fraternity. Pi Delta will soon announce the makeup of the following committees: Seating and Arrangement, Registration, Evaluation and Awards, Speakers and Publicity.

## UB Offers Talks For Milford Cops

The University will conduct a series of lectures entitled "The Policeman's Roll in Society," for the Milford Police Department, according to Town Manager John J. Desmond.

The program will be coordinated by Dr. Joseph S. Roucek, chairman of the sociology and political science departments and William T. DeSiero, professor of sociology and political science.

The lectures will include various aspects of the policeman's job, including familiarization with the system of crime prevention and the law under which he works and the duties and obligations of a policeman.

"The program will consider the general aspects with which a policeman is confronted, such as the social problem of alcoholism, narcotics and various abnormalities," Prof. DeSiero explained.

Lectures will include discussion on the law of arrest and the law of evidence, basic court room procedure, the theory of cross examination and interview and a lie detector demonstration.

## ALONG PARK PLACE

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away and the knowledge just accumulates.

Monday night I asked, "What does a fraternity pin mean to you?" of several young ladies. I received the following answers which I think you'll enjoy as much as I did.

1. It isn't just another piece of jewelry that I acquired to say I am pinned. This is the guy I want to spend my days with, and the nights too!

2. A promise for the future, and not what it means to some girls who just think it looks good to have a pin.

3. A fine way to cover a moth hole.

4. A good instrument to keep my bra up when the strap breaks.

5. A lucky charm to ward off evil characters.

6. A guarantee for busy week-ends and no slump in my social activities.

7. A stepping stone to a diamond.

8. A license to . . . . . !!

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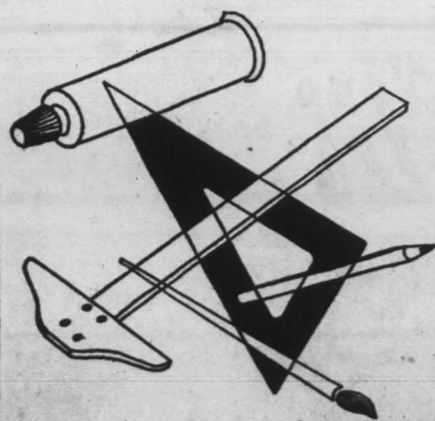


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#### DH EXPANDS

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osophy and aiding in its promotion and continued development. Dentists from throughout the state have also contributed more than \$21,000 toward the development of the Fones School since it was established in 1949.

The Fones School was named in honor of the late Alfred C. Fones, DDS, pioneer in the field of dental hygiene. Dr. Fones along with E. Everett Cortright was a co-founder of the Junior College of Connecticut from which the University of Bridgeport evolved.

The Fones School provides a two-year program of theoretical and practical training in dental hygiene. Graduates of the two-year program may continue study toward the bachelor's degree in the University's College of Education.

Dental hygienists find employment opportunities in dental offices as well as in industrial clinics, schools and hospitals, and federal, state and city public health services.

The Dental hygienists assists the dentist in many ways, although she works primarily to prevent tooth decay. She is concerned with educating her patients in the principles of diet and oral hygiene, which will help them maintain sound and healthy teeth.

In addition to cleaning teeth and charting oral defects, she may also serve as the dentist's assistant, handing him instruments, preparing the material for fillings and sterilizing instruments. She may also take X-rays and develop and mount the pictures.

Courses of study at the Fones School embody: general education—including English, psychol-

ogy and sociology; basic sciences—anatomy and physiology, bacteriology, chemistry, histology, nutrition, pathology and pharmacology; professional adjustment—dental jurisprudence, ethics, dental materials, office practice and management.

Also, clinical practice—oral prophylactic technique, fluoride application, radiology. Externing in general practice, erodentia, orthodontia, hospitals and public schools; education—child guidance and development, dental and public health education.

Dr. Strang predicts a bright future for the Fones school. "Applications for admittance have been received from as far away as California and Florida," he said "indicating that the Fones school is establishing a creditable reputation which will be guarded zealously."



#### Final Plans Jell For 'Hearts' Ball

Now is the time for student organizations to present their nominations for Campus Sweetheart. Mrs. Marion Lunn, director of Student Activities announced today.

A faculty committee of ten will select seven finalists for Campus Sweetheart at a tea on Monday afternoon, Feb. 11, at Wistaria Hall. The final decision will be determined by the student body in a general election on Feb. 12-13 in Alumni Hall from 9 a. m. to 3 p. m.

In conjunction with the Sweetheart Weekend, Mrs. Lunn announced that Roy Smeck, the "Wizard of the Strings," backed up by the Bert Orr Trio, will appear in Alumni Hall on Sunday, Feb. 17 from 2 to 4 p. m. The event is sponsored by the Alumni Hall Program Committee.

#### SEASIDE Cities Service

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## Freshmen Beat New Britain, 95-77

by Larry Babich

With some fine second half shooting, the freshmen Knights walked home with a 95-77 revenge win over the yearlings from New Britain College.

Winning their tenth encounter in twelve outings, the frosh got even with the Blue Devils who set back the Knights by one point in an earlier meeting.

The first half of the game was close, with UB holding a slim 46-44 lead. Both teams were well matched as the Knights shot 29 per cent on 16 baskets in 54 attempts while the Blue Devils hit for 27 per cent on 15 hoops in 54 attempts. The Knights also held a slim lead in rebounds 31-26.

With Tony Calderoni, Bob Laeml, Everett Hart, and Bob Lazar having hot hands the Knights kept a few points ahead of the Hardware City crew in the first half.

At the outset of the second half the yearlings of Lou Saccone got real hot and with some fine reboundings by center Ed Wysocki and forward Charley Doyle started to break the game wide open. Bill Darragh and Tony Granger caught fire and aided in the scoring as the Sacconemen proceeded with the rout.

Shooting 40 per cent in the second half to the Teachers 29 per cent the Knights paced by Laeml's 21 points and Calderoni's 16 gained revenge for their earlier setback as well as winning their tenth ball game.

Granger and Darragh in a hot second half reached double figures with 11 points each. Granger also collected ten rebounds as the Knights swarmed over the Teachers on the backboards in the second half and held a com-

manding 66-46 advantage off the boards. Wysocki with 12 was top rebounder with Doyle and Laeml also contributing to the backboard advantage.

Lou Saccone's lads return to action Saturday with a return encounter against Milford Prep, coached by former UBite Ronnie Krause.



Was the mayor of New York City justified in not giving the king of Saudi Arabia an official welcome?

Dave Barr — Yes. The king of Arabia represents many ideas and beliefs which are repugnant to American thought. Furthermore, he is using the clever political device of obtaining the material aid of both Russia and the United States, clever but pernicious.

Sal Mastreandrea — No. A local administrator should have no voice in political policy which involves security of the nation as a whole. The whole is greater than the part.

Bob D'Andrea — No. The mayor of New York City certainly has great political power, yet he does not have the authority to meddle in foreign policy.

Tony Colbert — Yes. Like all citizens of the United States, Mayor Wagner has the right of freedom of expression and thought, but because of his political position, he should have been more diplomatic.

Richard Miron — No. A local official doesn't have the right to hinder international relations.

Uhh . . . .



**THE BIG STRETCH** — UB center, Larry Babich, leaps high to take a rebound out of the clutches of two New Britain College players. The Knights won the tilt 82-71 to avenge a previous defeat at the hands of the Teachers.

### TENNIS ANYONE?

A meeting for prospective tennis team members will be held at 4 p. m. in the gym, according to team captain Roland Caserta. Caserta further stated that if it were impossible for any candidate to make this meeting he should leave his name and telephone number in the yearbook office of Alumni Hall.

## Bar Before Wings For Naval Cadets

Naval Aviation Cadets may now be commissioned officers prior to the completion of their flight training course, according to Commander Harold L. Gordon, USN, Information and Recruiting Officer at the Floyd Bennett Naval Air Station, Brooklyn.

Under the new plan, cadets will be commissioned after 14½ months and designated naval aviators after completing the 18 months flight training course. With the former system a cadet would not be commissioned until completing the flight training program. In addition to giving the man seniority in rank, the new plan also gives the young aviator a substantial increase in pay.

The Naval Aviation Cadet Program is open to young men with two years of college. The candidate must be in excellent health, single and 18 years of age, but not have reached his 25th birthday.

The Navy's flight training program offers the world's finest training to young men interested in a career in aviation.

## Purple Knights Seek Tri-State Crown

By Roger Lefkon

With last week's twin victories over New Britain and Brooklyn Poly, and with more than half of their schedule having been already played, the Purple Knight cagers are now ready to make their bid for the Tri-State League championship. They are currently in second place, one half game behind Fairleigh-Dickinson whom they play Feb. 16 at home.

Since beating Adelphi College several weeks ago, the Knights have won five out of their last seven contests to bring their season record to 6-7. After being edged out by New Britain earlier in the season, UB evened up the count last Wednesday as they handed the Blue Devils an 83-71 defeat. Bridgeport led all the way, holding a 43-35 lead at half time. The Knights showed a well-balanced offense with Hal Hellerman leading the attack with 22 points. Harry Peters, Larry Babich and George Dieter with 19, 14 and 12 points respectively, were the other UB big guns. Ed Batogowski topped the Blue Devil scorers with 16 points.

After dropping a decision to the New York Athletic Club in an exhibition game Friday, UB moved over to Brooklyn Saturday where they played Brooklyn Polytechnic Institute. Seeking revenge for last year's defeat the Knights overcame a 37-35 half time deficit to triumph, 98-90.

In piling up 98 points, UB displayed its largest offensive effort in more than three years. As has been the story in each of Bridgeport's recent victories, Sat-

urday's win was a team effort all the way with five Knights hitting double figures.

Charlie Jessup, who has been the UB spark since he broke into the starting line-up earlier in the season, had his finest night of the year as his net-snapping jump shots accounted for Bridgeport's highest individual total of the game, 22 points. Right behind Jessup, playing his usual fine brand of ball, was captain Harry Peters with 20 points. Also hitting double figures was Barry Babich with 18, George Dieter, and Hal Hellerman with 12 and 14 points respectively.

UB coach Herb Glines attributes Bridgeport's recent success

to what he describes as "a real team effort." He believes the team has begun to function as a well-organized unit. This statement is supported by the fact that in UB's last two victories nine men have reached double figures. Glines went on to say that the will to win has been the sparkplug of the team and they will be giving their all down the homestretch of this 1957 basketball campaign.

UB opened its seven game homestand last night and will next face Wilkes College on Saturday evening at 8:30. Bridgeport will be up against a powerful Wilkes quintet as it endeavors to avenge last year's loss.

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## Engineers Get 3 Grad Courses

Three graduate courses in engineering will be offered at the University beginning in the middle of February, according to Dr. Willard Berggren, director of the Division of Engineering.

Courses will include: advanced mathematical methods, to start Feb. 18, Monday evenings, 7 to 9:30 p. m.; dynamics of machine elements, to start Feb. 19, Tuesday and Thursday evenings, 8:15 to 9:30 p. m.; rocket power plants, to start Feb. 20, Wednesday evenings, 7 to 9:30 p. m.

Dr. Berggren will teach the course on rocket power plants. A former assistant to the research director of the Oak Ridge National Laboratory in Tennessee, Dr. Berggren worked on nuclear reactor projects.

He was also a senior development engineer at the Aerojet Engineering Corp. in California which specialized in jet propulsion. During 1949-50 he was associate professor of aeronautical engineering and chief engineer for the Air Force rocket propulsion program at Ohio State University.

## Liscio, Muldoon Named Alumni Drive Chairmen

Pres. James H. Halsey has made the appointment of Dr. Paul P. Liscio chairman of the 1957 Alumni Fund Drive.

Leo A. Muldoon will serve as assistant chairman for this year's campaign.

Last year, alumni gifts netted more than \$5,000 for the University. Included were \$2,820 from UB graduates and \$2,193.50 from Arnold students.

In addition to Dr. Liscio and Mr. Muldoon, UB alumni selected for the 1957 annual fund executive committee as follows: Dudley J. Savard, Robert A. Donaldson, Mrs. Fred Priestly, Caren A. Tortora and William B. Kennedy.

A general committee will assist the executive group during the coming year to approve promotional mailing literature for the campaign. Members already selected to serve include Bertram Arthur, Ronald L. Brandenberg, Sen. Herbert J. Bundock, Harry F. Clark, William F. Coshahan, William N. Emery, Louise K. Foehrenbach, Russell E. Gordon, Mrs. Richard Halliday, Robert S. Heath and Miss Catherine E. Herman.

Also, Mrs. Beverly H. Howard, Carl R. Huber, John A. Jensen, Louis J. Saccone, Michael Somers, Miss Virginia L. Tenant, Anthony J. Truglia, Mrs. Mary Alice D. Wheeler, Miss Harriet L. Wilcoxson, Ernest Williams and Frank S. Wright.

## Alpha to Zeta

By Bobbie Blender

This Friday night from 9 p. m. to 1 a. m., Sigma Lambda Chi will present its "Snow Ball" at Lenny's Wagon Wheel. There will be dancing to the music of Bob Purcell's combo, plus some original entertainment with that "professional touch." On Saturday night there will be a blast at the Housatonic Lodge.

The sisters of Chi Zeta Rho have elected Lois Pretz as their new president. She was preceded by Marge Fenick. The

girls are now working on plans for their dance to be held sometime this spring. Three fortunate filles (Millie Peters, Carol Hajas, and Millie Palina) from this group just returned from a fashion merchandising stint in Florida. Judging from their tans it appears that these young women spent more time "sifting sand" than fashion merchandising.

The brothers of SOS are returning to the UB campus with a new and welcome addition. He is Bob Violyn, a past Chancellor of the fraternity and a former handyman of Uncle Sam's. Seeking some excitement this past weekend, the brothers took off to Max's. The high spot (or low, suit yourself) took place on the return trip when the car broke down. It's a likely excuse for lateness if we've ever heard one.

There was a welcome stag held last night at the Housatonic for prospective pledges of Theta Sig-

ma. This was the first of a series of such events aimed at selecting "Tweeds" about campus to join the tux, homberg, and cane set.

KBP began the new semester with a "Come As You Are" party at Bob Haskells' this past Saturday night. Seems it was a most successful evening for all concerned (except for brother Dick Siena whose adorable steady Jeanne Taylor was ill.) We don't see how loud his complaints could have been, though, for he squirmed two of her dorm mates.

At the time of this printing POC was making furious plans for their Rush Week. For all prospective pledges we find a beer party Tuesday at Rudy's Steak House, a kofke klotch on Thursday night at Marty Halper's (the coffee is no doubt to aid the probable necessity of sobering up after Tuesday night), and in conclusion, a big shindig (this time with dates) at brother

Dave Marks' home on Saturday night.

The sisters of Beta Gamma presented their ninth annual rushee tea this past Sunday. The affair was a huge success (say all those who attended) and the girls are all looking forward to a fun filled pledge week.

## PUZZLE ANSWER

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"What really sold me," says Jerry, "was the way they conducted engineering. I'd expected rooms full of engineers at desks. Instead, I found all the informal friendliness of my college lab."

Gerald, an E.E., came directly to IBM from the University of Buffalo, in 1953. Starting as a Technical Engineer, he was immediately assigned to work, with two others, on designing a small calculator. The supervisor of this project was Dr. R. K. Richards, author of "Arithmetic Operation in Digital Computers." Jerry learned a great deal about computers in a very short time. Incidentally, his particular machine is now going into pro-



Assigns problems to his group

duction. As Jerry says, "It makes an engineer feel good to see his project reach the production stage—and to be able to follow it through."

Promoted to Associate Engineer after 16 months, Jerry is now the leader of a nine-man team. He assigns problems to his group for solution, approves their block diagrams and the models they build. Perhaps an hour a day goes into paper work such as requisitioning equipment for his group and reviewing technical publications, in counseling members of his team and preparing for trips to technical society meetings. Apart from his regular responsibilities, he teaches at night in the IBM school.

### Why Jerry chose IBM

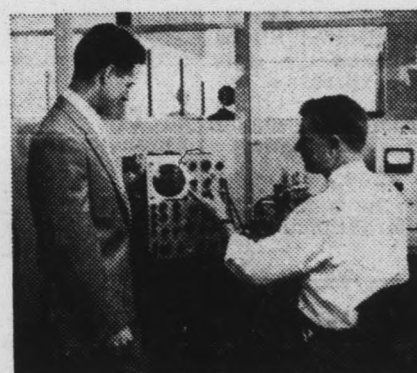
Of course, there were other reasons why Jerry selected IBM. He was vitally interested in computers, and IBM was obviously a leader in the field. He comes from a scientific family

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Three years ago, college senior Gerald Maley asked himself this question. Today, an Associate Engineer and leader of a nine-man team, Jerry reviews his experience at IBM and gives some pointers that may be helpful to you in taking the first, most important step in your engineering career.

(his brother is a mathematician) and is fascinated by these mathematical marvels which are revolutionizing man's ways of doing things in so many fields. He enjoys working on large equipment... and on "pulses." "It's more logical," he says. "In computer



This field is so new

work, you can actually see things happening, which is not the case with all electronic equipment today. And it's not all solid math, either. What's more, this field is so new, that pretty soon you're up with everybody else."

Gerald has done recruiting work himself for IBM and believes he understands some of the college senior's problems. "I usually begin an interview by determining a man's inter-



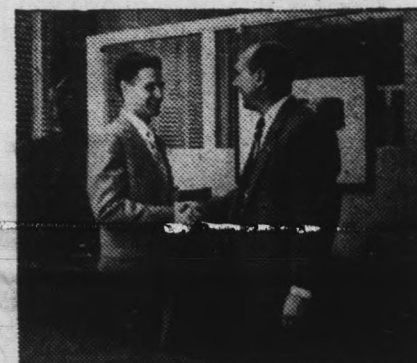
Reviewing technical publications

est," he reports. "Then the diversity of work at IBM enables me to offer him a job which will challenge that interest." Gerald distinguishes between two kinds of engineers—those who like to work on components, such as circuit designs, and those who are interested in the part the component

plays. The latter is his own interest, which is why he is in advanced machine design. He points out that IBM is careful to take these factors into consideration—another reason, perhaps, why turnover at IBM is less than one-sixth the national average.

### What about promotions?

When asked about advancement opportunities at IBM, Jerry says, "You can hardly miss in this field and in this company. They tell me sales about double every five years—which in itself makes promotion almost axiomatic." He endorses the IBM policy of promoting from within, with merit the sole criterion. The salary factor, he remembers, was not his first consideration. While excellent, the tremendous advancement potential was of far greater importance.



Promotion almost axiomatic

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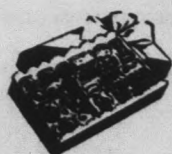
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